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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 (a), Applicant for the above-identified application respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a three (3) month extension of time, extending the period for filing an appeal to January 5, 2006, from the Notice of Appeal dated August 5, 2005. Please charge the petition filing fee of \$1020.00 to Deposit Account 19-0733. A Request for Continued Examination is also attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account 19-0733. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

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